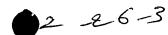
1





2CE/270) (b) 44
	7 %
k	RCE/27

PTO/SB/30 (10/0)/

REQUEST FOR

CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Address to: **Commissioner for Patents Box RCE** Washington, DC 20231

Application Number	09/410,646		
Filing Date	October 1, 1999		
First Named Inventor	David A. EDWARDS	4	
Group Art Unit	2184		
Examiner Name	M. Maskulinski		
Attorney Docket Number	99-TK-565SS		

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 of the above-identified application. NOTE: If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Final Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 50092 (Aug. 16, 2000); Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE Pratice...

1.	Submission	required under 37 C.F.R. 1.114						
	a. 🗌 Previo	Previously submitted						
	i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 previously filed on 12/30/02 (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).							
	ii. 🔲 Co	ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on						
	iii. 🗌 Ot	her						
	b. 🛭 Enclo	esed						
	i. 🛛 An	nendment/Reply			_			
	ii. 🗌 Aff	fidavit(s)/Declaration(s)			RECEIVED			
	iii. 🔲 Inf	formation Disclosure Statement (IDS)			MAR 0.3 ann			
	iv. 🗌 Ot	her			Tachari			
2.	Miscellaneo	ous		,	Technology Center 2100			
	a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) required)							
	b. Other							
3.	Fees The F	RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) is required by	/ 37 C	F.R. 1.114 when th	e RCE is filed.			
	a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-1123							
	i. 🗌 RO	CE fee required under 37 C.F.R 1.17(e)						
	ii. 🛛 Ex	tension of time fee (37 C.F.R 1.136 and 1.17)						
	iii. 🛛 Ot	her: Charge any additional fees or credit any o	verpa	yments for this filin g	3			
	b. 🛛 Checl	k in the amount of \$750.00 enclosed						
	c. 🗌 Paym	ent by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)						
		SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNI	EY. OI	R AGENT REQUIRED				
Na	Me (Print/Type)			ration No. (Attorney/Agent)	33,940			
Sig	nature	Stur Marsley	Date	2124/200	3			
CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION								
	I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner For Patents, Box RCE, Washington, DC 20231, or facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on:							
Nai	Name (Print/Type)							
Sig	nature		Date					
								